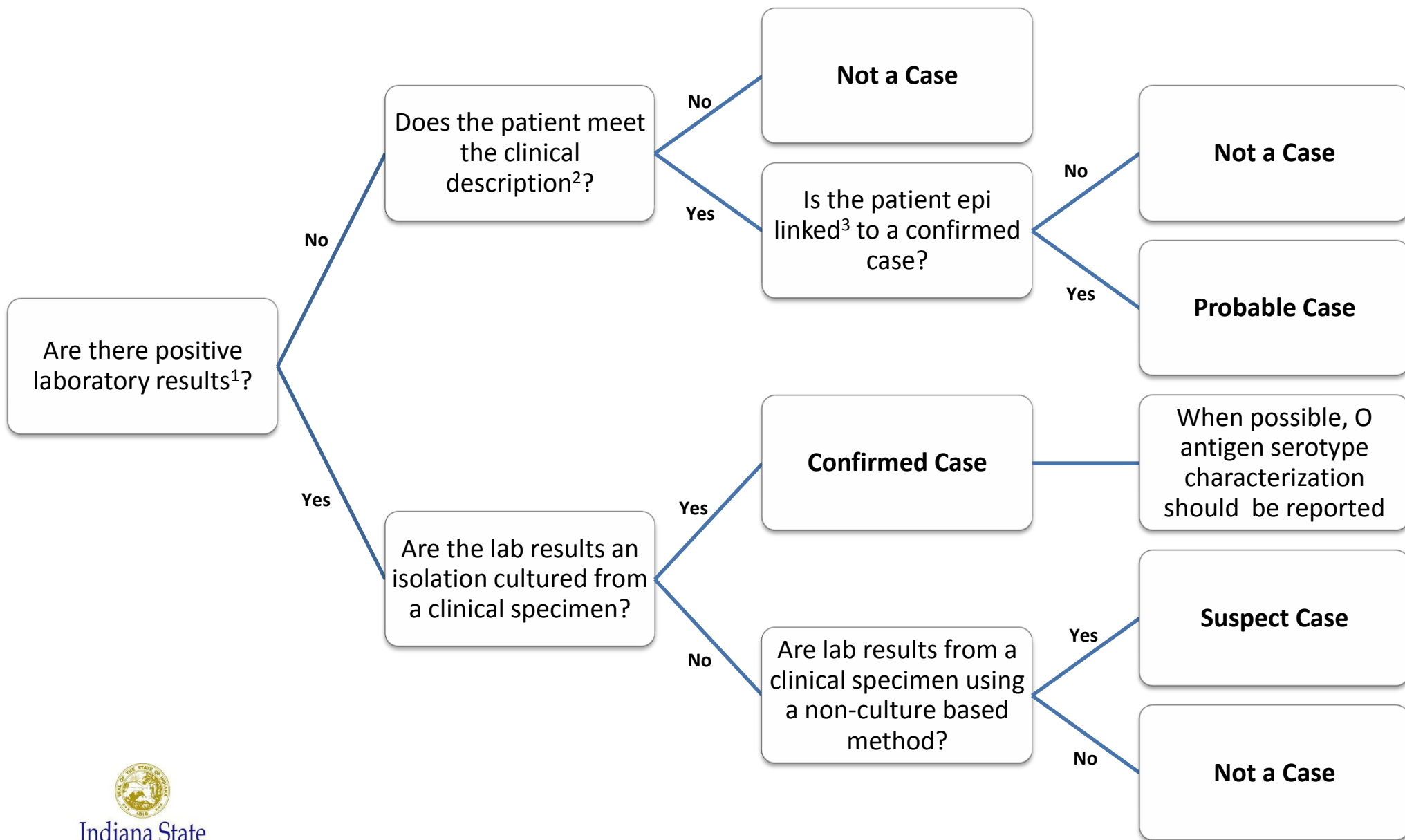


Shigellosis Case Classification Flow Chart

December 2013 - based on CSTE 2012 Case Definition



Shigellosis (*Shigella spp.*)

- ¹ **Laboratory Results:** Both asymptomatic infections and infections at sites other than the GI tract, if laboratory confirmed, are considered confirmed cases that should be reported.
- ² **Clinical Description:** An illness of variable severity characterized by diarrhea, fever, nausea, cramps, and tenesmus. Asymptomatic infections may occur.
- ³ **Epi Linked:** I.e., is a contact of a confirmed case or a member of a risk group defined by public health authorities during an outbreak.